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SENATE BILL 97

**48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2008**

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CRISIS TRIAGE SERVICES FOR THE  
MENTALLY ILL IN DONA ANA COUNTY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--One million five hundred  
thousand dollars (\$1,500,000) is appropriated from the general  
fund to the local government division of the department of  
finance and administration for expenditure in fiscal year 2009  
to implement a crisis triage center to provide individuals who  
are suffering from severe, chronic, uncontrolled mental illness  
with immediate care and professional assessment services in a  
fully staffed bed space facility in Dona Ana county. Any  
unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of  
fiscal year 2009 shall revert to the general fund.

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